Human Relations Advisory Board (HRAB) Agenda



May 25, 2016 Meeting Time: 6:00PM

Upper Level, City Council Chambers 57 E. First Street

Board Members: Denise Heap, Chair Robert Martinez

Cheryl Anderson, Vice Chair Cliff Moon

Colleen Byron Talmage Pearce

Frank Johnson Martin Rios
Nadia Khalighi Mark Tompert

(Members of the Human Relations Advisory Board will attend either in person or by telephone conference call.)

- 1. Chair's Call to Order.
- 2. Items from Citizens Present.*
- 3. Approval of minutes from the April 27, 2016 HRAB meeting.
- 4. Discuss and take action on Mesa Police Department Monthly Community Engagement Report.
 - (4a) Updates on Diversity related police incidents and activities.
 - (4b) Updates and scheduling of upcoming Police Advisory Board meetings
- 5. Discuss and take action on items presented by the Youth Diversity Education Team.
 - (5a) Updates on organizing youth community service and diversity education project (including the topic of bullying) with the Baha'i Community, Anti-Defamation League, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Gay Lesbian Education Network.
 - (5a-1) Recap of the 2016 Youth Peace Building Summit that was held on Saturday, May 7, 2016.
 - (5a-2) Organizing a mural project at Community Partners School.
 - (5a-3) Organizing additional Youth Reading Service Projects.
- 6. Discuss and take action on items presented by the Disabilities Action Team.
 - (6a) Updates on organizing a meeting and presentation regarding individuals with mental health and substance abuse issues to the Chamber of Commerce.



- (6b) Updates on collecting information and recommendations about ways to support the availability of services and programs for people with disabilities and the implementation of the ADA.
- 7. Discuss and take action on the following standing items outlined in the 2015-17 Strategic Plan.
 - (8a) Updates by Dr. Byron regarding the Police Community Forums and the statistics of police activity in the community.
 - (8b) Updates by Mr. Rios regarding 21st Century Policing.
 - (8c) Updates on increasing the number of speakers enrolled in the Speaker's Bureau and marketing the availability of the Speaker's Bureau as a community resource.
- 8. Hear updates, discuss, and take action on the progress of the City's Anti-Discrimination Ordinance.
- 9. Hear reports on conferences and/or meetings attended.
- 10. Scheduling of meetings, future agenda items, and general information, including those set forth below.
 - (14a) Reminder that June and July Board meetings are cancelled and the next regular Board meeting will be held on August 24, 2016.
 - (14b) For August meeting: Report from Mesa Police Department on 21st Century Policing.
 - (14c) For future meeting: Presentation regarding further efforts into Downtown Mesa Preservation through Mesa's Historic Preservation Program.
- 11. Adjournment.

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